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In re Application of:  
Viswanath Krishnamurthy, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2182  
Examiner: Franklin, Richard B.

Serial No. 10/693,583

Attorney Docket No.: 6000-10001

Filed: October 23, 2003

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
DHCP CLIENT-ID  
GENERATION**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**MAILED SEPTEMBER 19, 2005**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.